To the Honorable Members of the Committee:

I live in Haddam and am writing to tell you that I support a ban on the manufacture, sale and ownership of automatic and semi-automatic weapons - both hand guns and long guns. I also support banning the manufacture, sale and ownership of high-capacity magazines for guns. There is no reason at all for people to own these weapons of mass destruction. None. I also support a requirement for all gun owners to purchase and renew a license on an annual basis. We require people who own dogs to obtain a new license every year, we should do the same for people who own guns. The state should have an accurate record of where every gun is kept.

It is time to make this state and country safe for every citizen. We, the people, includes everyone, not just members of the NRA. It's time you heard from the rest of us.

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